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FOR AMBASSADOR PEZZULLO, RIO ASSISTANT SECRETARY TODMAN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SHUM, EFIN, PFOR

SUBJECT: INTER-AGENCY DECISION ON LOANS TO URUGUAY
1. THE INTER-AGENCY GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND FOREIGN
ASSISTANCE, CHAIRED BY DEPUTY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER,
REACHED THE FOLLOWING DECISION WITH RESPECT TO URUGUAY
IN A MEETING HELD AUGUST 11.

2. IT WAS AGREED THAT IN VIEW OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS
SITUATION IN URUGUAY, WE WOULD URGE THE URUGUAYAN
GOVERNMENT TO WITHDRAW THE TWO PENDING IDB LOANS AND THAT
IF THEY REFUSE, WE WOULD VOTE AGAINST THE LOANS ON THE
GROUNDS THAT URUGUAY IS A GROSS VIOLATOR. SINCE THE TWO
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PROPOSED AID GRANTS ARE INTENDED TO GO TO PRIVATE
ORGANIZATIONS RATHER THAN THE URUGUAYAN GOVERNMENT, IT
WAS AGREED THAT AID WILL GO AHEAD WITH THE GRANTS IF IT
CAN SATISFY ITSELF THAT THESE ORGANIZATIONS ARE NOT IN
FACT CLOSELY TIED TO THE URUGUAYAN GOVERNMENT. THE
REPRESENTATIVE OF OPIC STATED THAT A RECOMMENDATION WOULD
BE MADE TO THE OPIC BOARD NOT TO MOVE FORWARD WITH THE

PENDING PROPOSAL TO INITIATE AN OPIC PROGRAM IN URUGUAY.
THE GROUP EXPRESSED ITS CONCURRENCE WITH THIS
RECOMMENDATION.

3. INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING A DEMARCHE TO THE GOU WILL BE
THE SUBJECT OF A SEPARATE MESSAGE. IN THE MEANTIME, THE
INTER-AGENCY DECISIONS ARE FOR THE EMBASSY'S INFORMATION
ONLY. CHRISTOPHER

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